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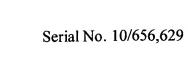
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## AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

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Dear Sir:

Applicant request entry of the following amendment and reconsideration of the office action mailed November 3, 2006.

Amendments to the Specification begins on page 2 of this paper.

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